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Containing the freſheſt Advices, both Foreign and Domeſtic.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1770.

POSALS *for eſtabliſhing and carrying on by Subſcrip-ion, a* REGULAR POST *from Charles-Town to the Sou-hern parts of the province, with the approbation of his Majeſty's Poſt-Maſter-General.*

'HE ſubſcriber, poſt-rider, propoſes to ſet out from his houſe in King-ſtreet, in Charles-Town, y Tueſday and Friday, at five o'clock in the morning, n the firſt of April to the firſt of October; and from ober to April, every Wedneſday at eight o'clock in the ning, to carry with him all packets, letters and news-ers, to be left at Aſhley-Ferry, Rantowle's Bridge, Thir-Mile Poſt, and Jackſonburgh; and on his return, to g letters, &c. from the ſaid places.

le further propoſes to go forward to Aſhepoo Bridge once eek in ſummer; and once a fortnight in winter.

ubſcriptions will be received by all the Printers, and the -Rider, in Charles-Town; Captain Lazarus Brown in cſonburgh, and Mr. James Bolton at Aſhepoo.

'he terms of ſubſcription to be ſettled by a committee of gentlemen who may ſubſcribe. One half of the ſubſcrip--money to be paid by the firſt of April, and the other eptember.

ecurity for the due performance of the agreement, to be n to the Poſt-Maſter-General, who has aſſented to the ve, as the revenue ariſing from the poſtage would at pre-, be inſufficient to defray the expences.

CHRISTIAN SEGWALD.

To be SOLD by AUCTION,

y NICHOLAS LANGFORD,

BOOKSELLER, *at his Shop on the Bay,*

Wedneſday the 21ſt of this inſtant February, and the following Evening, beginning preciſely at 6 o'Clock,

A Collection of BOOKS,

Many of them new and in good Condition.

PRINTED CATALOGUE will be delivered, and the Books may be viewed this Day.

. LEELEY's Lot of Drawings, will be ſold on Thurſday Evening.

N. B. He continues ſelling the Remainder of his ſecond portion of *uſeful Books*, in very neat Bindings, and for h, at a reaſonable Profit. Alſo mathematical, philoſo-al and optical Inſtruments, with a Pair of very elegant *Glaſſes*, 30 by 18, gilt Frames, ditto ſmall ovals.

Few Bales of well bought WHITE PLAINS, ſome of which are MILTONS beſt WATCHET, of an a fine quality, to be ſold at NINE for ONE, by

6 w. PHILIP HAWKINS, & Co.

A FEW Hogſheads of fine JAMAICA RUM, fit for preſent Uſe, to be OLD CHEAP, for CASH only, at my re in LONGITUDE-LANE, near the Gene-Poſt-Office.

WILLIAM HINCKLEY.

Charles-Town, February 1, 1770.

HIS is to inform the Public, that the Copartnerſhip of

JOHN BRAUND, & Co.

ved, by conſent, the firſt of January laſt, they therefore all thoſe that have any demands againſt the partnerſhip d them in as ſoon as poſſible, to JOHN MARLEY, on Champneys's wharf. They likewiſe deſire all thoſe that are ted to them by note, or book-debt, to pay the ſame to JOHN MARLEY, in whoſe hands the books are left; and der to have them ſettled as ſoon as poſſible, Mr. John ington, junior, is appointed to collect and ſettle the accounts, as it may not ſuit many to call at the ac-ting-houſe.

N. B. Thoſe accounts that are not ſettled or paid by the of April next, will be ſued for without further notice.

JOHN BRAUND,
MICHAEL KELTIESON,
JOHN MARLEY.

JOHN MARLEY,

GIVES this public notice to his friends in particular, and to the town in general, that he has purchaſed the of horſes, carts, drays, negroes, and boats, lately be-ging to JOHN BRAUND, & Co. and now intends to carry on the carting and wood-ſelling buſineſs, as formerly, on his own account only, and hopes to give ſatisfaction to all thoſe who pleaſe to employ him, either as factor or carter.

N. B. All maſters of ſhips, or other veſſels, may be ſup-plied with water, well known to be good, as Meſſrs. DILLON TUKE's taverns have been ſerved from the ſame many s paſt. Likewiſe fire-wood ready ſawed and ſplit, on as ort notice as any one can ſupply them in Charles-Town.

By their humble Servant,

JOHN MARLEY.

A SOBER and cleanly Negro Wench, that underſtands cooking, is wanted on hire for a ſmall fa-; ſuch a one well recommended, will have good wages gi-a, and be well uſed. Apply to the Printer.

From the London Gazetteer and New Daily Adverti*ſer.*

To the ——.

Friend G——, 14th of the 8th Month, 1769.

THY people are in no danger of rebellion, till they can get no work, and find themſelves and families ready to ſtarve; if the ſources of employment are ſtopped up by ſome providential interpoſition, the people are called to bewail their iniquities; but if merely from the paſſions or folly of rulers, they will ſurely apply to them for redreſs, and perhaps, with a reſolution not within the bounds of reaſon.

I have very ſeriouſly attended to the diſputes between England and America, from the beginning; and, after all, I muſt confeſs, I think if there is any right in human polity, the latter hath vaſtly the advantage. With whatever views the Americans tranſported themſelves, it is certain they went fully ſatisfied, that notwithſtanding their vaſt diſtance, they were to be under the mild and noble legiſlation of Engliſhmen. They went on, at a vaſt expence of money and labour, to cultivate and to flouriſh; England reaped a prodigious advantage from their proſperity; and, indeed, the benefits between the mother and her daughter were mutual.

Whether they ſet out with wrong notions of their privileges, as Engliſhmen, is not the preſent queſtion; but the ideas they entertained for above a century, with good order and a pleaſing improvement, they certainly are now deprived of by an arbitrary judgment; they cannot think they have the ſame privileges now they had before the Stamp-act.

The moſt unaccountable part of thy conduct is, that the ſubject is ſo long in debate. Conſidering its great importance, it would have been worth thy while to have gone over thyſelf, and ſettled it at the beginning; or, at leaſt, thou mighteſt have ſent ſome truſty deputy, with ſufficient power and moderation, to hear; and, ſurely, long before this time, it muſt have come to a point, and, I hope, to a fair iſſue.

All the writings, and authentic remonſtrances of the Americans, have been clear and reſpectful. If they complain without reaſon, reaſon would be againſt them in every argument: If with reaſon, reaſon requires a poſitive redreſs.

It may be, friend G——, it is not in thy power to grant them all their ancient liberties; but thou canſt ſurely do ſomething towards their relief. Thou canſt hear their complaints, and make them eaſy in many points. Conſider, (and, O may thy ſervants conſider!) that the conſequences of this diſunion are every day growing more and more terrible. Thy merchants decay for want of trade; thy manufacturers ſtand ſtill in many parts for want of orders; the poor ſtand aſtoniſhed, that they are ready to ſtarve, though they are ready to labour! They muſt ſee, in time, that this great and univerſal calamity reſulteth from the Americans diſſatisfaction, and the power of redreſs being aſleep, or wantonly ſporting with their grievances.

My advice, I fear, cannot influence, or, I would adviſe thee to become the moſt beloved — in the univerſe, which thou mayſt eaſily do, by a readineſs to hear the complaints, and endeavour after the peace and proſperity of thy people at home and abroad. Canſt thou think thy brother of Pruſſia could be influenced to ſhake off all concern for the love of his people? No, he would, no doubt, by a word, have made ill Governors tremble, and his people ſatisfied that he loved them as his children, and regarded them as men.

I have heard that thy faithful ſubject and friend George Whitefield is ſoon going over to America, his converſation and orations have a great influence in that country. Wouldſt thou not do well to conſult with honeſt George, and, if thou haſt thoughts of ſaving the Americans (as ſome writers affirm) canſt thou find a better man to communicate thy intentions by? all he ſays will be credited, and all he ſays from thine own reſolutions communicated to him, will have great weight, and perhaps, bring about a revolution that will be to thy people's contentment and thine own reputation.

I am thy real friend,

——— ———.

ON the Power and Benevolence of the Almighty Creator.

ETERNAL Maker, hail! hail power divine!
The Heav'ns and earth, the day and night, are thine.
Matter and form to thee their being owe,
From thee, their great original, they flow;
When yet the mingled maſs unactive lay,
Thou gav'ſt it motion by thy quick'ning ray;
Chaos and night thy pow'rful mandate heard,
And light, and glorious order ſoon appear'd.
If thou but hide thy face, the creatures mourn;
But life and pleaſure with thy ſmile return:
The gentle ſmile dependent nature cheers,
Revives its hopes, and diſſipates its fears.
The earth and ſkies thro' various changes run;
But thou, whoſe wond'rous being ne'er begun,
Canſt ne'er thro' all eternity decay,
While time's ſwift flood bears all things elſe away.
By thy direction the fair orbs above,
In perfect order, thro' the æther move;
And all that's lovely, all that's pure below,
Immediately from thy bright eſſence flow.
Fountain of life, from thy immortal flame,
All ranks of intellectual beings came:
Our maker thou, our great original,
We own thy right, and thee our father call.

A new, ſtrong WRITING DESK, to be ſold cheap. Apply to the Printer.

NEW-YORK, JANUARY 8.

ALL the real friends of liberty, and our happy conſtitution, having with the greateſt regret, beheld at ſeveral of our late elections, the moſt infamous bribery and corruption, with the moſt brutal debauchery and riot; and many of the poorer people having deeply felt the ariſtocratic power, or rather the intolerable tyranny of the great and opulent, who (ſuch is the ſhocking depravity of the times, and their utter contempt of all public virtue and patriotiſm) have openly threatened them with the loſs of their employment, and to arreſt them for debt, unleſs they gave their voices as they were directed; and it being evident to all impartial men, that nothing elſe can preſerve the freedom and independence of elections, and prevent for the future the like exorbitant influence of the rich over the poor, than a ſecret method of voting, a motion has accordingly been made in the Honourable Houſe of Aſſembly, for leave to bring in a bill for voting by ballot. This, as was naturally to be expected, immediately alarmed all who owe their political importance more to their wealth than their virtue, and they have accordingly exerted the ſtrongeſt intereſt that could be made, to fruſtrate the ſalutary meaſure. To promote and carry it into execution, the friends of liberty conceived it their duty to take the voice of the people on ſo important a ſubject, before any of the poorer and more dependent ſort had been menaced or cajoled by the Corrupters-General of the city. They accordingly notified a meeting at Liberty-pole, where a majority of freemen and freeholders being aſſembled, declared their approbation of voting for the future by ballot. But the adverſaries of the meaſure, diſputing, according to their conſtant cuſtom, the number of perſons ſo met: Another meeting was notified, at which a moſt inconteſtible majority again voted for appointing a committee to report to the honourable Houſe, the ſenſe of the people in favour of ſecuring by ballot, the freedom of election.

During all this time, till laſt Thurſday night, the promoters of tyranny and deſpotiſm, were indefatigable to keep the poor in their preſent bondage, by diſappointing the patriotic ſcheme for free elections, and after having ſecured, by their wonted corrupt practices, and unparalleled knack of defamation, as large a body as poſſible of their own creatures and dependants, they gave the public a few hours notice of a meeting at the Merchant's Coffee-Houſe, on Friday laſt, to try how far commercial influence would induce the common artificers to acquieſe in the preſent deprivation of this moſt ineſtimable privilege. Here, the great and the mighty, and the rich, and the long wigs, and the ſquare toes, and all manner of wickedneſſes in high places, had ranged themſelves in a body compact and tremendous, hoping by the very appearance of their magnoſities to over awe and intimidate. It was then propounded from the balcony of the Coffee-Houſe, by Mr. Iſaac Low, Prolocutor-General for the party, that thoſe who were for the old method of voting ſhould remain where they ſtood, and thoſe for balloting ſhould draw off, in order to aſcertain the majority of either ſide. This *modeſt* propoſition was juſtly oppoſed by another gentleman in the balcony, as aſſuming an odious ſuperiority in favour of the former, both parties being equally intitled to keep the ground they occupied, and therefore he propoſed that the different parties ſhould ſeparate different ways. Upon this a perſon in the gallery, who was doubtleſs ſuborned to perpetrate the horrid act, coming ſlily behind the gentleman who ſpoke laſt, endeavoured to throw him from the gallery on the ſtone pavement beneath; and it was with difficulty the intended victim, by an amazing activity and preſence of mind, ſaved himſelf from the conſequence of the propoſed barbarity. Upon this the opponents to the ſcheme for balloting, reſorted to their old artifice of getting the people to ſign long inſtructions, fabricated by a junto to enſnare the ignorant and unwary; but the people having ſo recently detected that kind of ſtratagem, ſtopped the orator with the reiteration of *no inſtructions*. Silence being again made, the perſon juſt eſcaped from the intended murder, deſired thoſe for balloting to draw off to the left; upon which a majority of at leaſt three to two (though moſt people think of two to one) collected on his left, and having openly given their ſuffrage for balloting, though frequently attempted to be ſilenced by the repeated huzzas of the moſt pitiful minority of the forlorn hope of the woful Knights of the moſt noble order of perwigs; they immediately proceeded to ſign petitions to the Houſe, for carrying the ſaid ſalutary and important meaſure into execution. Still determined to defeat a ſtep ſo abſolutely neceſſary to ſave us from the tyranny of a few, and to reſtore to the indigent and dependent, their primitive and conſtitutional rights of voting according to their own judgment, the baffled faction had recourſe to their old practice of influencing from houſe to houſe, the poor and diſtreſſed to ſign the ſaid inſtructions: And as it is ſtrongly ſuſpected, that in order to ſwell the liſt, they intend to procure the ſubſcriptions of numbers of people who have no voice, they may depend upon it, that the friends of liberty will petition the honourable Houſe, for a copy of the inſtructions, and if in canvaſſing the names, they detect ſuch artifices, they will expoſe the ſubſcribers and the perpetrators, as ſuch infamous practice deſerves.

As we have lately had ſo many melancholy examples of undue and corrupt influence on the freedom of elections. As the true deſign of oppoſing the balloting act, be the pretence what it will, is moſt notoriouſly to preſerve and perpetuate that influence--As the poor and dependant, according to the preſent mode of election jobbing, are evidently reduced to a worſe condition than if they had no voice at all, by being compelled to give them contrary to their own judgment---As it is a moſt atrocious and villainous violation of our conſtitutional privilege, to bias the pooreſt man living, by threats or promiſes---As every inconvenience objected to the method propoſed, can be effectually cured by a balloting act, it is hoped that there is ſtill among us a ſufficient ſhare of public virtue, and a ſufficient number of incorruptible patriots to erect ſo impregnable a bulwark againſt the aſſault of the rich and powerful, and experience has ever ſhewn, that the people perſevering in a righteous demand, have proved finally triumphant.

January 18. Saturday night laſt, a number of men belonging to the 18th regiment, quartered in this city, made an attempt to cut down the Liberty Pole, in the fields, by ſawing off the ſpurs round it, and afterwards attempted to blow it up, by boring a hole in the pole, which they filled with powder, and fir fire to it; but all their endeavours were in vain; the pole being ſo well ſecured with iron, that they could not penetrate it, ſo that they

could not accomplish their design. They then sallied forth in a furious manner, with their bayonets drawn, upon a small number of gentlemen (who were standing near the house of Mr. Mountayne) when they entered the house, after having destroyed all the front windows; one of the soldiers made a thrust with his bayonet at a person, which he parrying with his hand, only received a slight wound in the forehead, after which, some of their officers interposing, they retired to their barracks.

A printed paper, signed BRUTUS, having been dispersed through the city, on Tuesday last, setting forth, among other matters, that the hiring of soldiers to work in this city is injurious to the poor inhabitants, and that there was a matter of the utmost importance to the liberties of the people of this colony and the continent then before the Assembly, and desiring all the friends to liberty, who inclined to bear testimony against a literal compliance with the billetting-act, to meet at Liberty-Pole, on Wednesday the 17th instant, when the whole matter was to be communicated; in consequence thereof, a large body of people, supposed to be near two thousand, assembled at the time and place appointed; when they manifested great uneasiness at the conduct of the soldiers, and supporting them in this place; and could hardly be restrained from proceeding to some acts of violence, by considering that the innocent might suffer with the guilty.---- They were the more irritated, by a fresh insult upon them, repeated the night before, in destroying the Liberty-Pole, which had been attempted several successive nights.

It is said this riotous behaviour of the soldiers was occasioned by their hearing that the inhabitants in general, were against allowing any money to support them here; and many people think this very behaviour is a proof of the impropriety of contributing to support such a set of people among us; and say, if they behave thus, under the controul of strict discipline, and good officers, what have we to apprehend if they should happen to be under bad ones? What would they be ready to do at the word of command?

It is said, most of the people assembled, signed a paper, the contents of which we have not heard, only one of the articles was against employing or dealing with soldiers.

The present disposition on both sides seems to forebode ill consequences, unless timely prevented.

Extract of a letter of a late date, from a gentleman of consequence in London, to a gentleman now in New-York.

"I heartily wish you and your lady good health. You are removed into an exceeding good climate, and a country which bids fair to be the Great Empire of the world."

January 22. When our Assembly granted two thousand pounds, for the support of the troops, it was understood that a great part of the thousand pounds immediately to be given for that purpose out of the treasury, was to be appropriated to discharge an arrearage due to sundry persons, for articles that they had furnished. The discharge of these debts, was used as an argument by the advocates who were for granting billeting money, why such grant should be made, urging that a great part of the money to be given, was already due to some of the inhabitants. It was therefore very alarming to the friends of liberty in this city, to learn, that a number of memorials from officers, and other persons, had been sent to the Lieutenant-Governor, and by him to the General Assembly, desiring them to make provision for the arrearage and room rent, &c. and what greatly added to their anxiety was, that if these demands were paid, as it would be for debts contracted by and for the army, it would be a literal compliance with the mutiny-act, otherwise called the billeting-act; which requires, that the articles shall first be furnished, and the debts accrue, and then the person or persons that had paid for beer, vinegar, bedding, &c. shall apply to the assembly of the colony, where such troops are quartered; who are to make provision for the payment of such sums, "in such a manner as the public charges for the provinces respectively are raised." They being entirely at a loss to know what resolution the house would come to, on the subject, and as the matter was very important, they determined on calling the people together, in order to take their sentiments on it. Accordingly a hand bill was sent through the city, desiring the inhabitants to meet at Liberty-Pole, on Wednesday the 17th instant, at twelve o'clock, where a vast number of them met, of all ranks, not less than three thousand. The Liberty-Pole being cut down the night before by the soldiers, the gentleman that was appointed to address the people, began, by informing them of the design of its erection, and recommended to the inhabitants in very pathetic terms, to drop all party differences, and unite in supporting their common liberties; and then proceeded to read the following Resolutions, which were agreed to; and after the other business was finished, they were signed by most of the inhabitants that then met. He then asked them, whether they would signify their abhorrence to a compliance with the mutiny or billeting act? which they did universally by holding up their hands, and loud huzzas. Upon which he proposed to them, to appoint a committee that should call the people together, as occasion may require, which they accordingly did.

IT is very alarming at this important crisis, notwithstanding the humane, benevolent treatment, that the troops quartered in this city, have received from the colony, and this city in particular; (although we have great ground to suspect they are not stationed here to protect us) that they should be so ungrateful and insulting to the citizens, as to make several attempts to blow up and cut down the Liberty-Pole, which has been erected as a memorial of freedom. This safe conduct is an incontestible proof that they are not only enemies to the peace and good order of this city; but that they manifest a temper devoted to destroy the least monument, raised to shew the laudable spirit of liberty that prevails among the inhabitants; and as the same diabolical spirit will naturally dispose them to use their utmost endeavours to enslave us; they must be considered by all men, who are actuated by a free spirit of liberty, as enemies, mortal enemies, to all that is dear and valuable to Englishmen: Impressed by these considerations, we

RESOLVE, That we will not employ any soldier, on any terms whatsoever; but that we will treat them with all that abhorrence and contempt which the enemies of our happy constitution deserve. And whereas many of them have repeatedly travelled the streets of this city in the night with arms, with which they have attempted to take the lives of many of the citizens, and notwithstanding made their escape, and thereby eluded the laws, and passed with impunity: Therefore, that the inhabitants may not for the future be insulted, and put in peril of their lives,

RESOLVED, That if any soldier shall be found in the night, having arms (except centinels and orderly serjeants) or out of the barracks after the roll is called, such as are even found without arms, and behave in an insulting manner, shall be treated as enemies to the peace of this city: and we do hereby solemnly engage, to and with each other, that we will, to the utmost of our power, strictly adhere to the above resolutions, and if possible bring the transgressors of them to condign punishment.

The Committee appointed to wait upon the city members with the instructions (which were read at the Coffee-House) against balloting, did accordingly present them on Tuesday last, together with the following Address:

To John Cruger, James Jauncy, James De Lancy, and Jacob Walton, Esquires, Representatives in General Assembly for the city and county of New-York.

GENTLEMEN,

THE Honourable House of Assembly having already rejected the late projected mode of electing Representatives by ballot, has so far superseded the necessity of presenting these instructions. But the pretended advocates of so clandestine, and, as we conceive, mischievous a measure, having roundly asserted, that "all the just lovers friends of liberty in this city, had long been desirous of seeing that mode of election adopted," we thought it our duty to endeavour to convince them, that notwithstanding the many artifices, and early attempts made use of both in public and private by some designing men, to prepossess their fellow citizens in favour of their complicated new scheme; a very great number of your constituents of all ranks and denominations are entirely opposed to it, and chuse to be protected in the free exercise of the old constitutional mode of voting publickly and openly for the men they like. How far instructions, even from a majority of your constituents, fundamentally to alter the constitution, ought to influence your conduct, is not our business at present to enquire; but if it should appear that the majority is on the other side, there can be no pretence of reason for deviating from an old established custom, warranted by the experience of former ages, as well as our own; and considering the spirit of our government, less liable to exceptions than any other which can be proposed in its room. That one thousand and seven freeholders and freemen, who have signed these instructions against balloting, do constitute a majority of your constituents, we presume will not be contested; but when we premise further to you, that there are many others in this city, who declared themselves totally averse to balloting, and yet refused signing any paper either for or against it, there can be no doubt that a great majority of your constituents argue against the measure. We therefore hope that you will in every future Assembly, until you shall be clearly convinced of the contrary by constitutional instructions like those now presented, and not by holding up of hands in the Fields, by a confused multitude, continue to oppose so dangerous an innovation.

D. Schuyler, John Long, Abel Hardenbrock, Andrew Barclay, Henry Cuyler, Leonard Lispenard, Gerard Wm. Beekman, Hubert Van Wagennen, George Harrison, Thomas Randall, David Johnson, Edward Laight, Jacob Brewerton, Charles Nicoll, John Outhout, Theophylact Bache, Isaac Low, John Wm. Vredenburgh, Tobias Stoutenburgh, Thomas White, S. Verplank, F. Bogart.

PHILADELPHIA, *January* 8.

Last Friday morning died, in an advanced age, Mrs. Sarah Goddard, late of Providence, in Rhode-Island; and yesterday her remains were decently interred in Christ-Church burying-ground, in this city, attended by a number of respectable inhabitants. She was widom of Dr. Giles Goddard, formerly of New-London, in Connecticut.

January 18. Our river has been constantly full of floating ice from the 4th instant, till Tuesday night, when it stopped being frozen from side to side.

Extract of a letter from Bristol, dated November 8.

"I shall expect your directions, soon after you learn that the parliament's meeting is put off until the middle of January, a circumstance that could scarce be conjectured, or that the ministry continue bent upon supporting in full force, the pernicious and perplexing revenue acts, which I am informed will positively be inforced, on account of the American merchants declaring in various of their resolves, 'that a revenue of any kind will not be dispensed with.'"

The following account of the houses in this city and suburbs, at different periods, being handed us by some gentlemen who took the same, we make no doubt the perusal of it will be agreeable to our readers, viz. In the year 1749 they amounted to 2076; 1753, 2300; 1760, 2969. And in December 1769, they amounted as follows, exclusive of public buildings, stores, work shops, &c. viz. Mulberry ward, 920; Upper Delaware ward, 234; North ward, 417; High-street ward, 166; Middle ward, 358; Chesnut ward, 112; South ward, 147; Walnut ward, 105; Lower Delaware ward, 120; Dock ward, 739; Northern liberties, or Northern suburbs, to Second-street bridge at Stacey's run, 553; Southwark, or Southern suburbs, to the North-side of Love-lane, 603. Total, 4474. The same gentlemen made many other calculations for their own amusement, which those that have leisure may also do; such as reckoning eight persons to each house, is 35,792; cloathing for each of those persons per annum, at 4l. is 143,168 l.

LONDON, DECEMBER 9.

WE are informed, that the sudden departure of Lord Holland, was owing to the admonitions of some anonymous friend, who assured him, that it was the determination of those at the helm, that his Lordship, like Admiral Byng, should fall a sacrifice to appease the present storm, and mitigate the passions of an incensed people. His departure disconcerted the dark schemes of the ministry, and he was soon followed by another noble Lord, who, remembering the fate of Haman, has wisely submitted to resume the tutor's garb, and become a voluntary exile.

The M------ are now at a loss for a person to take the lead at the meeting of an august assembly, as, it is said, Sir ------ has declined it.

It is expected that Mr. R----- will be applied to, for to do the above business.

The E--- of E----- has declared, that he will take no part in any administration that shall be formed by the E--- of C-----.

It is said that press warrants will be issued out soon after Christmas.

Not long since a bank note of 200 guineas was sent under cover to Mr. H. Coates, for the use of John Wilkes, Esq. It is supposed to have come from a lady of the first quality.

Earl Gower, it is talked of with some confidence, will be appointed to succeed Lord Townshend as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

December 14. We are now informed that five regiments, instead of three, are under orders for embarking from Ireland to England, to make room for the augmentation.

It is said that the profits of a military government, lately conferred on a Colonel in the army, amount to seven hundred pounds per annum.

Among the military regulations that are on the tapis, we are well informed, that a reduction of the standing army will shortly take place.

December 16. Yesterday a court of aldermen and common council was held at Guildhall, at which it was agreed to pay out of the chamber of the city of London, the sum of five hundred pounds, for the relief of the unhappy sufferers by the fire at St. John's in Antigua.

Letters from Senegal, brought by the Weasel sloop, mention, that every thing was quiet on the coast when she sailed from thence; that trade was very dull in different factories, and that the garrison was greatly reduced by sickness.

December 19. Report now says, the Parliament will not be dissolved, but that the so-much complained of resolutions will be rescinded, and a new writ issued for another member for the county of Middlesex. In this case there can be no doubt, but that Mr. Wilkes will be returned, and we hear no further objections will be made to his sitting in Parliament.

We hear that Lady Betty German has bequeathed 20,000l. to Lord George Sackville, together with her seat at Drayton in Northamptonshire, and all the household furniture therein; 20,000l. to Lady Vere Beauclerk; and handsome annuities to all her servants, in proportion to their different stations.

We hear that the above Lady has given in public and private charities, upwards of 2000l. a year for 40 years past, notwithstanding which, it is said, her Ladyship died worth, in jewels, plate and money to the amount of 700,000l.

The Earl of Errol, son of the Earl of Kilmarnock, who suffered on Tower-hill, for being in the rebellion 1745, will be chosen one of the sixteen peers of Scotland, in the room of the Earl of Eglington deceased.

It is said, that certain great men, who have been very freely addressed in the news-papers, complain heavily of the licentiousness of the press, and the necessity there is of putting it under some further restraint: But such great men ought to consider, whether they have not given the people some cause for such licentiousness, whether they have not oppressed them, and taken away their rights and liberties, contrary to the laws of the land, and consequently have been licentious themselves; for if they have, they can have no just cause for complaining of the licentiousness of the people. If great men will infringe upon the rights of the people, contrary to the laws, they should not expect, for they never will find, that the people will keep strictly within the limits of the law in their complaints. They set them the example of breaking the laws, and being licentious, and must thank themselves. As to any further restraint upon the press, the people well know, that all the rights and liberties they have left, are entirely owing to the *liberty of the press*; and whoever shall dare to make an attempt upon *that*, they will look upon as *open and declared enemies to their freedom, and, at all events, oppose them with all their power.*

It is said that the Earl of Buchan will be appointed Governor of the Colony of the Massachusets Bay, in the room of Sir Francis Bernard, Bart. a circumstance, if true, that indicates an attention to the sufferings of our North-American brethren. Other reports bear, that that nobleman will be entrusted with the care of the education of an illustrious young Prince.

We hear that the plan for restoring the tranquillity of the Colonies, will consist chiefly in fixing the quota of the different provinces, according to a general scale of proportion to be drawn out, after the most mature deliberation and enquiry, the respective assemblies having the choice of the easiest methods of assessing the people by internal taxes. None of the sums so raised, to be remitted to Britain, but applied to the purposes of supporting the expences of government in North-America. The revenue laws to be repealed, and respectable Governors, who are acquainted with American affairs, to be appointed to preside in the different governments.

Private letters from the capital of a neighbouring kingdom intimate, that this country will soon be too hot for the Viceroy's Secretary to remain there much longer; so that another must shortly be appointed in his stead.

By a calculation just made in a neighbouring kingdom, we hear that since the late augmentation, the army there will contain a commissioned officer to almost every eighth private man.

December 21. We hear that, in a late Council, at which the E--l of C-----m assisted, that nobleman positively insisted, that in the Middlesex election, no temporising methods could be made use of, as the only specific that could be applied to the wounds of illegality, must be a dissolution of those members that created it.

There is a report now circulating, that a duel was lately fought in a neighbouring kingdom, between two titled persons of unequal rank; and that wounds had been received, but has not hitherto proved mortal. The cause of this dispute, it is said, was on account of some expressions made use of by one of them, in a speech in the Upper House, reflecting on an oration made by the other in the Lower House, along with some personal sarcasms.

The C--- of the E--- has written circular letters, in the most pressing terms to the King's men, as they are called, commanding their early attendance this winter, on most extraordinary matters of the highest national importance, which are to come on at the very opening.

A courier arrived on Tuesday night at his Excellency the Russian ambassador's, with advice that the Russian army were upon the point of storming Bender, and that it was not doubted they would carry that place immediately.

December 23. It was this morning reported, that a nobleman of the first rank and fortune in the kingdom, deserted the ministerial party on Thursday last, and intends to be present at the next meeting of the Supporters of the Bill of Rights at the London tavern.

It is now said the letters signed *Junius* are the production of a secret junto; and that the last composition under that signature was wrote by Mr. E----- B----.

The E. of Ch-----, lying ill in bed some time ago, declared, that at the ensuing meeting of P------t he would go down to the house, to speak against the Adm----------n, if a crutch would support him. If not, said his Lordship, I will be carried thither, and speak in this horizontal posture.

Whitehall, December 23. The King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Earl of Dunmore to be Captain-General and Governor in chief of his Majesty's province of New-York, and the territories depending thereon, in America.

CHARLES-TOWN, FEBRUARY 20.

SATURDAY last his Majesty's Packet-Boat the Sandwich, Richard Notingham, Commander, arrived here in eight Weeks from Falmouth; and from Letters received by her, we learn, that the Bill for establishing Circuit Courts, &c. in this Province, had received the King's Assent.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint John Murray, Esq; M. D. to be one of the Assistant-Judges of his Majesty's Courts in this Province, in the Room of Daniel Doyley, Esq; who has resigned, on Account of his bad State of Health.

Morton Wilkinson, Esq; is elected a Member of the General Assembly of this Province, for St. Paul's Parish, in the Room of Archibald Stanyarne, Esq; who declined serving.

We learn that General O'Reiley was at New-Orleans about a Month ago, and that it was said he would not leave it for some considerable Time.

The Sloop Patsey, David Watson, Master, of and from this Port, for Beaufort, ran ashore on Tuesday last upon the Shoal called the Bird-Cage, near St. Helena, and soon after beat to Pieces; but the Crew were saved.

Advices from St. Christophers inform, That the Legislature of that Island have passed a Militia-Law, wherein neither the Members of Assembly, or the Assistant-Judges of the Courts, are exempted from Musters: That Application had been made to the Governor, by the Council and Assembly, to address his Majesty to grant them 200 Soldiers, for their Protection: And that the Assembly have come to the following Resolutions, viz.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That such members of this house who do absent themselves without the leave of the house, are to be reputed deserters of their trust and neglecters of that duty they owe to this house and their country.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That according to the law and usage of Assemblies, this House have an undoubted authority to commit any person for a contempt to the House, on any breach of the privileges thereof, to any public prison in this island.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That the House are supreme judges of their own rights and privileges, and of what is a breach thereof; and that their orders or determinations thereon are not examinable or controulable by any other court or judicature whatever.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That no person, committed by order of this House, can be discharged or bailed, by virtue of any writ of Habeas Corpus, or of any other order or warrant than of the House, during the continuance of that Assembly, wherein such commitment is made.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That for any lawyer, or other person, to solicit or advise any judge to discharge or bail any

person, when under a commitment of the House, is a contempt of the authority of the House, and a breach of their privileges.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That for any person whatsoever, to endeavour, by offer or promise of any money or gratuity, by any threats or persuasions, or other means, to deter, awe, prevent any goaler, or other public officer, or any servant under them, from executing or obeying any warrant or order of the House, is a high misdemeanor, and a contempt offered to the House, and a breach of the rights and privileges of the same.

RESOLVED, *Nemine Contradicente*, That this House, ever since the establishment of a legislature in this island, have been possessed and intitled to the above rights and privileges, as well as the sole right and privilege of determining upon all elections of Representatives to serve in the Assembly, and of the legality or illegality of all returns made upon such elections.

DIED.] William Bellinger, Esq.---Mrs. Cassels, Wife of Mr. James Cassels.

Price of RICE, 50s. per 100 lb.

bruary	CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.	*From*
th.	Ship Constant Friend, Thomas Alcock,	Lisbon
	Brig Andalusia, Thomas Hill, jun.	Ditto
th.	Sloop Charles-Town, William Whetten,	New-York
	Sloop Sukey & Nancy, Richard Newbold,	Jamaica
	Sloop Beaufain, Thomas Newbold,	Barbados
th.	Schooner Betsey, Turner Vardell,	Tortola
	Ship Sea-Venture, Isaac Amory,	Bristol
th.	Ship Charles-Town, Thomas Morrison,	Ditto
	Snow Friendship, John Turner,	Rotterdam
	Ship Live-Oak, Andrew Lundberry,	Falmouth
	Sloop Recovery, Abraham Adderley,	New-Providence
	Brig Fanny, Clayton Eccleston,	Grenada
	Sloop St. George, George Judkin,	Jamaica
	Sloop Charles-Town, Joseph Durfee,	Rhode-Island
	Schooner Expedition, John Doran,	St. Augustine
ebruary	ENTRIES OUTWARD.	*For*
3th.	Schooner Fair-Lady, Solomon Allen,	Boston
6th.	Sloop Sally, Jesse Hunt,	New-York
7th.	Sloop Benjamin, Nathaniel Dickenson,	Jamaica
	Sloop Sally, Peter Schermerhorn,	New-York
ebruary	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	*For*
13th.	Sloop Sally, Thomas Cook,	Rhode-Island
	Sloop Betsey, John Hull,	Ditto
	Schooner Rainbow, David Weir,	Jamaica
	Ship Britannia, John Dennistoun,	Lisbon
	Brig Jean, John Smith,	Leith
	Ship Jenny, Henry Hunter,	Lisbon
14th.	Ship St. Francis, George Tremblet,	Oporto
16th.	Ship Indian King, Richard Baker,	Cowes
17th.	Brig Star and Garter, Thomas Hemson,	Oporto
	Sloop Sally, Joseph Blewer,	Philadelphia
	Sloop Montagu, Hinson Todd,	Jamaica
18th.	Sloop Leisure-Hour, William Wilson,	New-Providence
	Brig Ranger, James Giles,	Jamaica
19th.	Brig Jenny, Ralph Hogget,	Figuera
	Sloop Charming-Polly, Erasmus Hanson,	Cape-Fear
	Schooner Defiance, Thomas Mulford,	Ditto

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Charles-Town, February 9, 1770.

THE GENERAL COMMITTEE advertise, That *Patrick Muir*, Master of the Brigantine *Beggar's Benison*, having brought some Goods from *Scotland*, has *refused* to store or re-ship the same.

That *Alexander Livingston*, Master of the Brigantine *Hope*, from *Teneriffe*, has likewise *refused* to store or re-ship a Parcel of Wines imported by him in said Vessel: And

That upon Inquiry into a Report, industriously spread, of said Wines having been bought for Account of Messrs. *Wilson, Coram, Wayne*, and Company, Merchants, and Subscribers to the Resolutions; and Captain *Livingston* and Mr. *Tuke* having this Day attended them, Mr. *Tuke* made and subscribed the following Declaration, viz.

"*Whereas Captain* Alexander Livingston, *of the Brigantine* Hope, *has reported, that he had sold to* John Tuke, *twelve Pipes and fourteen Quarter Casks of Wine (imported contrary to the Resolutions) and that the said Wines were bought, by* John Tuke, *for the Account of Messrs.* Wilson, Coram, Wayne, *and Company.*

"*I, the underwritten, do hereby declare, that the above Report is* absolutely false, *having never made use of those Gentlemen's Names: And that the Wines were bought on my own Account: For which I express the utmost Concern, being a Subscriber to the General Resolutions.*"

JOHN TUKE.

N. B. The said Wines are still in the Possession of Captain *Livingston*.

AT a meeting of some of our creditors the 31st of January last, in consequence of our advertisement desiring it, THOMAS SHUBRICK and GEORGE INGLIS, Esquires, were chosen and appointed assignees, with whom we deposited sundry bonds, notes, &c. for immediate recovery by them, therefore all concerned are desired to make proper use of this notice; and as we have still in our possession several bonds and notes, we desire immediate payment thereof to us, and as many persons are indebted to us on open account, they are now once more desired to settle the same to our satisfaction, in the short time that our books will remain with us, for that purpose; and all persons to whom we are indebted, are desired to deliver into us an account of their demands, that a full state of our concerns may be laid before our assignees and creditors, whom we again earnestly desire will meet us at Mr. DILLON's, in Charles-Town, on Wednesday the first day of August next, when we expect a dividend of payment may be made our said creditors.

SHACKELFORD & LUPTAN.

TO BE SOLD,

By JOHN COPITHORN,

Of the Snow UNION, *at Mr.* Champneys's *Wharf*,

A Quantity of English white SALT, at *Seven Shillings and Six Pence* per Bushel, not less than 30 Bushels—Northward RUM by the Hogshead, Tierce or Barrel—a few Bundles of New-England HAY, &c.

☞ The said Snow is to be let on Freight, for any Port in GREAT-BRITAIN, or the MARKETS, and will carry about 600 Barrels of Rice. Apply to the said Master.

WILLIAM BAKER,

HAVING removed his Store from the Corner of *Church* and *Tradd-street*, four Doors nearer the Vendue-house, being right opposite to *William Burrows*, Esquire, acquaints his Friends and Customers, that he has on hand, a large and compleat Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, which will be disposed of on reasonable Terms.

JOHN SCOTT,

INTENDING to decline business, will sell all his stock of goods cheap for cash, some of which lately imported, viz. BROAD CLOTHS, German serge, shalloons, tamies, callimancoes, durants, cambletts, worsted stuffs, black callimanco and ruffel quilted petticoats, all kind of stockings, scarlet cardinals, and cloaks, black flowered mode, black sprig'd sattin, black lace and snail, black taffety, black and colour'd persians, allamode sarsnet, sattin and mode cardinals, flannel and swanskin, ready made cloaths, black and blue serge denism, striped duffils, white plains, handsome blue and white cottons for beds, dark ground ditto, callicoes, chints, white chints, fine half ell bombazeen, coarse half yard ditto, crow poplins, muslins, fine and coarse diapers, striped cottons, brown hollands, fustians, dimities, ribbons, fans, cambrick, lawns, long lawns, bed tickens, oznabrigs, checks, iron ware, raisins, currants, and a variety of other goods..

HEAD & GIBALL,

HAVE for SALE,

JAMAICA RUM in hogsheads, fit for present use, sherry WINE in quarter casks, sweet mountain, in three dozen hampers, white plains and duffils, persians, calicoes, printed cottons, long and pistol lawns, chints, ginghams, Barcelona black silk cravats and handkerchiefs, lungee romals, sewing silk, Manchester checks of all kinds, startats, jeans, jennet, silk hollands, cotton ditto, gown patterns, bed bunts, velverets, Irish and Scots linen, 7 8th and 3 4th dowlas, brown and white sheeting, ditto osnaburgs, sail cloth, black breeches patterns, thread hose, gunpowder, and smoaking pipes, which they will sell very cheap for ready money.

DUMB FISH,

VERY good Dumb Table Fish, to be sold at Store No. II. on Colonel Beal's Wharf. Also the best of Northward Rum, Cyder and Potatoes.

TO BE SOLD at private SALE,

PART of a LOT in Union-street, containing about 25 Feet in Front on said Street, and about 108 Feet in Depth, adjoining to Mr. Banbury, and faces Dr. Chalmers's Alley, whereon is a good two Story Dwelling-House, &c. now in the Occupation of Mr. Henry Granger, at the yearly Rent of *Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds*. For further Particulars, apply to DAVID WILLIAMS.

WANTED,

AN Overseer, well acquainted with making of Indico; any Person so qualified and recommended, may apply to James Cordes, senior, Esq; in St. John's Parish, or in Charles-Town, to JOHN DAWSON.

Who have for Sale 70 Bushels of INDICO SEED, of the last Year's Growth.

FOR PORTUGAL, or SPAIN, COWES, and the MARKETS, or any Port in ENGLAND,

The Ship CONSTANT FRIEND, THOMAS ALCOCK, Master.

A Very good and handy Vessel, carries about 700 Barrels of Rice. For Freight, apply to the said Master, or

MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

ROBERT BEARD,

TINMAN, from LONDON,

HAVING removed into Elliott-street, next door to Mr. Poinsett's tavern, returns thanks to the gentlemen and merchants in particular, for their past favours, and as he now has on hand a quantity of tin and other materials suitable for his business, will undertake to supply any merchant with all kinds of tin ware, on as reasonable terms as they can import them, and on very short notice, for CASH.

He likewise lights and keeps LAMPS in good repair, at *Seventeen pounds ten shillings* per year, and the best spermaceti oil for lamps, at 25 *s.* per gallon.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, at the plantation of William Norman, *at* Beach-Hill, *on Wednesday the 7th day of March next, if a fair day, if not, the first fair day after*;

THE remaining part of the personal estate of Mr. Jacob Welton, deceased, consisting of a few houshold goods, plantation tools, provisions, and a parcel of Negroes, mostly this country born; among which are a good house wench that can cook, wash and iron very well, and is well known by most in these parts to be remarkable for her honesty and diligence in her business, a handy boy and girl, the rest are field negroes and children. The conditions of the sale is cash for all sums under Twenty Pounds, for all above, credit will be given till the first day of January next, paying interest from the day of sale, and giving approved security. The property not to be altered till the conditions are complied with.

WILLIAM NORMAN, } Executors.
WILLIAM MELL, }

IN order to settle the affairs of BENJAMIN PERRY, and to make his Creditors easy, on Tuesday the 13th of March next, will be sold at the plantation whereon the said Perry now lives, all his effects, consisting of a parcel of as fine slaves as any in the province, together with horses, cattle, hogs, household furniture, &c. now under mortgage to the subscriber. The conditions will be made known on the day of sale, by SUSANNA PERRY.

TO BE SOLD on Thursday the 15th day of March next, at the plantation of the subscriber, on Edisto-Island;

THE said plantation, containing 247 acres of land, on which is a good dwelling-house, and very convenient out-houses; the land is inferior to none on the said island; also betwixt 30 and 40 valuable slaves, among which are a very good cooper, boatmen, sempstresses, and handy boys and girls; likewise a stock of black cattle and horses, household furniture, &c. &c. The conditions will be made known at the sale, by

ROBERT SEABROOK.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WHEREAS at a Court of Common Pleas, begun and holden at *Charles-Town*, on Tuesday the 13th day of *February* instant, *David Guerard, John Rose, William Ellis, William Mitchell, James Laroche, James Atkins*, and *Paul Fripp*, being duly summoned and returned to serve as Jurors at said Court, made default, and were noted for non-appearance: THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that they will be fined in the sum of FIVE POUNDS, Proclamation Money, each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient excuses upon Oath, for their non-attendance, on or before the first Tuesday in April next.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, February 14, 1770.

JUST imported in the Sloop Charles-Town, Joseph Durfee, Master, from Rhode-Island, and to be sold, by

NATHANIEL RUSSELL,

At his Store on Colonel Beale's Wharf, fronting the Bay;

NORTHWARD RUM, Lamp Oil, Spermaceti Candles, Tallow ditto, Soap, Hay, Cheese, Cordials, Iron Tea Kettles, Bake Pans, Beer, a few American made Anchors, Loaf Sugar, pickled Lobsters in Kegs, &c.

N. B. Said Sloop will sail for Rhode-Island, the first of March. For Freight or Passage, apply to said Master, or NATHANIEL RUSSELL.

ALL Persons indebted to the late Co-partnerships of *Sharp* and *Dupont*, and *Gideon Dupont*, jun. & Co. either by Bond, Note, or Book Account, are hereby requested to make Payment on or before the First Day of June next, there being an absolute Necessity to make a speedy Settlement of these Concerns, the great Indulgence heretofore given, cannot be continued; therefore those who pay no Regard to this Request, will find their Bonds, &c. in the Hands of an Attorney, to be sued for, without Distinction or further Notice.

GIDEON DUPONT, *Surviving Copartner*.

TO BE SOLD,

By SIMON TUFTS,

Near the NEW-EXCHANGE,

A Few exceeding good Northward Salt-petred HAMS, very fine preserved GINGER, and mixed SWEETMEATS, by the Pot or Pound, CITRON by the Box or Pound, CURRANT JELLY, &c.

ALL persons who have any demands on the estate of Captain CHARLES LEWIS, deceased, of All-Saints parish, are requested to bring in the same, properly attested, to either of us, by the 20th day of May next; and all those who are indebted thereto, to make payment by the said day, to

CHARLES LEWIS, } Executors.
WILLIAM ALLSTON, }

On Thursday the 8th day of March next, if a fair day, if not, the first fair day after, the subscriber will sell at public vendue, in Beaufort, *his* PLANTATION *on* Oakety-Creek, *formerly advertised in this paper, and Mr.* Wells's *gazette*,

CONTAINING five hundred acres, exceeding good for corn, rice, or indico, and a fine conveniency of back water may be made with little trouble; the land being well known, needs no farther recommendation. Any person inclinable to purchase, may, if they please, view it before the day of sale, and they will find it equal to any recommendation he can give. The conditions will be made known on the day of sale.—He has also to dispose of between six and eight hundred bushels of CORN, a quantity of red and black-eye PEASE, and about six hundred bushels of SEED RICE. HAZZARD HARVEY.

TO BE SOLD on Tuesday the 23th of March next, at the plantation where the subscriber now lives, at the Euhaw, Indian-Land;

A TRACT of 259 acres of land, adjoining the tract he now lives on, very good for indico and corn, the said tract being the property of the estate of Rebecca Grimball. The conditions of the sale will be cash.

JOHN GRIMBALL, Executor.

THE Subscriber intending to leave off the Planting Business, will dispose of, at public Sale, on Tuesday the 24th of April next, if a fair Day, but if not, the first fair Day after, at the Society-House on John's Island, Twenty valuable Field SLAVES, among whom are a good Cooper, and two good Sawyers.—Likewise 180 Acres of LAND on Wadmelaw, where the Subscriber now lives, 70 Acres of which is good Cypress Swamp, 50 Acres of Pine Barren, and the Rest as good Corn and Indico Land as any in the Province. There is on the Land a good Overseer's House, Barn, Machine and Machine House, and other Out-houses. Credit will be given to the First of January next, on good Security, if required. HENRY LIVINGSTON.

A NEGRO Bricklayer, as good as any in the Province, to be hired. Enquire of ROBERT RAPER.

TO BE SOLD by public outcry, on Thursday the 15th day of March next, at the parish glebe of St. John's, lately possessed by the deceased Reverend Richard Farmer;

ALL the estate and effects of the said deceased, consisting of household furniture, a watch, two horses, one of which is an exceeding good chair and saddle horse, three saddles and furniture, a small flock of goats, some provisions, wearing apparel, &c. Also his library, consisting of many useful and entertaining books, neatly bound, a catalogue of which may be seen in the hands of the subscriber. The conditions will be made known on the day of sale, by ISAAC HARLESTON, Administrator.

STRAYED or stolen from Mr. Aaron Loocock's plantation, about the 21st of December last, the following horses, A dark bay horse, about 14 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder SH, and much spotted on the back, a small slit in one of his ears, and trots extremely well.

A sorrel or chesnut horse, about thirteen and an half hands high, branded P, is a natural pacer. Any person taking up said horses, and delivering them to Mr. Edward Mortimer, at Monck's-Corner, or Mr. Libeap, Saddler, at the Congarees, will receive Two Dollars reward for each.

ALEXANDER GILLON,

Has to diſpoſe of at his ſtore in Broad-ſtreet, *near the Bay, a great variety of* Engliſh *and* Dutch GOODS, *at his uſual prices, amongſt which are,*

WARDROBER and garlix hollands, from 20 to 60s. per yard, ditto and Ruſſia ſheeting from 15 to 40s. per yard, coarſe white linens, of different breadths, from 4s. 6, to 12s. 6, per yard, oznabrugs from 2s. 6, to 5s. per yard, ſtriped hollands and ginghams, handkerchiefs of all ſorts, long, clear, and ſtriped lawns and cambricks, 3-4 and yard wide bolting cloths of all ſorts, and very handſome ſtrong pavilion gauzes, black and white blond laces, and a variety of handſome ribbons, artificial flowers, damaſk table cloths, napkins, napkining diſper, German bed ticks, of different breadths, printed cottons and callicoes, very beautiful cotton bed patterns, with proper linings and trimmings, large Marſeilles bed quilts, Ruſſia canvas, broad Flemiſh ditto.

Linſeed oil at 22s. 6, per gallon, by the caſk of 40 gallons, and 25s. per ſingle gallon, beſt vermilion at 40s. per lb. brimſtone at 7l. per cwt. 3 gallon ſtone jugs at 8l. 5s. per dozen, 2 gallon ditto at 6l. 10s. per ditto, 1 1-2 gallon ditto at 3l. 10s. per ditto, blue and white ſtone chamber pots, quart and pint mugs, gallon jugs, butter pots, delph butter ſtands, with plates, cheſe ſtools at 40s. Dutch tread hearth tiles, 9 inches ſquare, at 2s. 6d. each, by the quantity, chimney tiles, Dutch kinchers, empty caſes, from 4 1 2 gallons to 33 gallons, bottles for ditto, trap bird cages, that ſet themſelves, breeding and common ditto, Colonge blue mill ſtones, houſe mats, pipe baſkets, wooden ſhoes, marble images, Dutch hand carts and bakers waggons, French horns, looking glaſſes, purple and white wampum, beſt oil flints at 5l. per m. window glaſs, 8 by 10, at 18l. 10s. per box, 10 by 12 ditto, at 22l. 10s. white lead and Spaniſh brown in oil, yellow oaker and red lead, nails of all ſorts, iron pots, &c.

Bar iron and plough ſhears at 6l. 10s. per cwt. RUM, SALT, and LOAF SUGAR, Rheniſh WINE by the dozen, and Seltzer water in jugs.

Caroline TOBACCO in hogſheads, FLOUR, and ſhip BREAD, butter in kegs of different ſizes, hemp, deer ſkins; tallow and bees wax, five year old Vidonia wines in pipes, for exportation.

Any perſon taking a quantity of the above mentioned goods, will have a conſiderable abatement allowed them.

All perſons whoſe accompts were due the firſt of January laſt, are beg'd the favour of to ſettle them immediately, to prevent further trouble. 6 w.

WILLIAM HUTCHINS,

WRITING MASTER, in GADSDEN'S-ALLEY.

BEGS Leave to inform the Public in general, and his Friends in particular, that he has Room in his SCHOOL for a few more CHILDREN.——He alſo keeps an EVENING SCHOOL, where Youth may be qualified for Buſineſs with the greateſt Care and Diligence.

N. B. He likewiſe intreats the Favour of thoſe whoſe Arrears have been long ſtanding, to diſcharge the ſame as ſoon as convenient.

TO BE SOLD or LEASED,

In ſmall Tracts, and on reaſonable Terms;

TWO Baronies of Land, one on the head of *Black* River, the other on the north ſide of *Pedee* River, adjoining to Catfiſh Creek, both in Craven county, the property of *Nicholas Linwood* and *William Baker*, Eqrs. of London. The aforeſaid Baronies contain large tracts of exceedingly fine Oak and Hickory Swamp and Marſh Lands, extremely proper for the culture of Rice, Corn, Indico, Wheat, Hemp, and every other article to which the climate is adapted. The Plats may be ſeen in the hands of Mr. *James Thompſon*, deputy ſurveyor.

ALSO,

A Part of the Barony in Granville county, known by the name of *Jaſper's Barony*, adjoining lands of Colonel Heyward, and other ſettlements on the Euhaws. The plat is to be ſeen in the hands of Mr. William Maine.

Credit will be given for the above lands, the purchaſers paying intereſt from the day of ſale, and giving approved ſecurity.

Sept. 11th, 1769. PAUL TRAPIER, DAVID DEAS, JOHN DEAS, } Attornies for *Nicholas Linwood*, and *William Baker*, Eſqrs.

THE little regard that has been paid to our former Advertiſement, obliges us to publiſh this our LAST NOTICE to all perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. GEORGE SEAMAN, deceaſed, That unleſs they call and diſcharge their reſpective Debts on or before the 25th day of March next, all the Bonds, Notes, &c. will be put into an Attorney's hands, to be ſued for, in order that the affairs of ſaid eſtate may be brought to a final ſettlement.

Jan. 31, 1770. JAMES LENNOX, DAVID DEAS, WILLIAM LENNOX, JOHN DEAS, } Executors.

TO BE SOLD, by the ſubſcriber, at Mr. William Flinn's, in George-Town, on Tueſday the 20th inſtant, half a tract of land on Pedee river, formerly the property of Elias Foiſſine, Eſq.

CONTAINING 285 acres of river ſwamp, 200 of which is under bank, and may be planted immediately. Alſo 350 acres of high land, on which is two good overſeer's houſes, a mill houſe, and two barns, one of which is brick, and ſundry negro houſes. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe at private ſale, may treat with the ſubſcriber in George-Town, or in his abſence with Paul Trapier, Eſq. ELIAS FOISSINE.

TO BE SOLD by private contract, and may be entered on immediately,

A Valuable plantation on Edisto-Iſland, containing 300 acres of land, inferior to none in this province for corn, rice, and indico, very pleaſantly ſituated on a bold creek that leads from White-Point to Watt's Cut; on the above plantation is a commodious dwelling houſe, with other convenient out buildings; about 60 acres of the ſaid land is now under good fence, and very convenient for planting this ſeaſon. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may treat with Mr. *Ephraim Mikell*, on Edisto-Iſland, or with the ſubſcriber at Indian-Land, in whoſe hands the plat may be ſeen.

Oct. ARCHIBALD CALDER.

TO be peremptorily ſold, by public outcry, at the Vendue-houſe in Charles-Town, on Thurſday the 22d day of February inſtant, at 12 o'clock at noon, the following houſes and lots in Charles-Town aforeſaid, viz.

A LOT in Elliott-ſtreet, containing about twenty-two feet front on ſaid ſtreet, and about ninety-five feet in depth; whereon are an exceeding good brick dwelling-houſe, a two ſtory brick kitchen, and every other conveniency for a family; now let to Mr. Nathaniel Walker, for *three hundred and fifty pounds* a year.

Credit will be given, if deſired, for one year, paying intereſt from the day of ſale, with good ſecurity.

A LOT containing about twenty-five feet, from north to ſouth, facing Mr. Burn's wharf, and extending from the Bay about two hundred and twenty feet, to Union-ſtreet. On that part fronting the Bay, is a very good dwelling houſe, with every neceſſary conveniency, and fit either for a perſon in trade or a private family, now in the occupation of Mr. Richard Wayne, at the yearly rent of *five hundred pounds*. On that part fronting Union-ſtreet, is likewiſe a very good dwelling-houſe, &c. in the occupation of Mr. Henry Slade, at the yearly rent of *one hundred and ſixty pounds*, the tenant keeping the ſame in repair.

One third of the purchaſe-money to be paid down, on delivery of the titles: Credit for the remainder, if deſired, will be given for one year, paying intereſt from the day of ſale, with approved ſecurity.

A LOT in Market-ſquare, containing about twenty-five feet in front on the ſaid ſquare, and about one hundred and five feet in depth, whereon is a very commodious houſe, with other conveniencies, very well calculated for a tavern, occupied at preſent by Mrs. Ward, at the yearly rent of *three hundred and fifty pounds*.

One third of the purchaſe-money to be paid down, on delivery of the titles; credit for the remainder, if deſired, will be given for one year, paying intereſt from the day of ſale, with approved ſecurity. ROBERT WELLS.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, at the uſual place in Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 6th of March next;

A NEGRO FELLOW, belonging to the eſtate of Captain Thomas Dixon. Credit will be given till the firſt of January 1771, paying intereſt, and giving approved ſecurity.

HENRY SMITH, THOMAS SCREVEN, } Executors.

N. B. All perſons that are any ways indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are once more deſired to diſcharge them immediately, excepting the bonds lately given, and thoſe that have any demands, are deſired to make them known.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, on Thurſday the 8th day of March next, at the plantation of Jacob Geiger, deceaſed, in St. George's pariſh;

ABOUT Twenty-five NEGROES, and two-thirds of the ſtock belonging to ſaid plantation, conſiſting of horſes, hogs, ſheep, and neat cattle, with proviſions, carts and plantation tools. Likewiſe will be ſold a tract of land, containing one thouſand acres, well timbered, ſituated and lying on Aſhepoo River; and alſo a twelve years leaſe of two-thirds of that plantation where Mrs. Geiger now lives. All ſums under £.50 to be caſh; for all ſums above, twelve months credit will be given, with approved ſecurity. The property not to be altered till the conditions are complied with.

PAUL SMISER, JOHN SWINT, JOHN WALTER, } Executors. MARY GEIGER, Executrix.

TO BE SOLD on Colonel Beale's Wharf,

A QUANTITY of the beſt lamp and train OIL, very reaſonable for ready caſh, wholeſale or retail, by PHILIP BESSELLEU.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD at a Store on Champney's Wharf, by

JOSEPH TURPIN, jun.

BEST DOUBLE BEER—CORDIALS in Kegs—GIN in Caſes—Ship, Water, Milk, Butter and Ruſk BREAD—LOAF SUGAR—ONIONS—POTATOES—CHEESE, &c. &c.

N. B. Jamaica, Weſt-India, and Northward RUM, in quarter Caſks, ſold as above.

ELEANOR BOLTON, PASTRY-COOK,

HAS removed out of Tradd-ſtreet, into a houſe of Mr. Muncrieff's in Simmons's-alley, near Queen-ſtreet and the Bay, where ſhe hopes for the continuance of her cuſtomers, both in the paſtry and clear-ſtarching way.

N. B. She wants a negro girl as an apprentice.

WANTED on PURCHASE,

A WELL built ſmall PETIAUGRE, not much the worſe for uſe, ſound, and made of good ſtuff, has a good cabbin, and will carry about 25 or 35 barrels of Rice. Any perſon having ſuch to diſpoſe of, on reaſonable terms, may hear of a purchaſer that will pay the ready money, by applying to FRANCIS YONGE.

WANTED,

A SOBER active perſon as an OVERSEER, who underſtands the management of rice, indico and plowing, and has a wife. None need apply without a written recommendation. LAMBERT LANCE.

WENT out of my yard in Friend-ſtreet, on Saturday night, a black gelding, 4 years old in April, trots, a white blaze in his face, one hind foot white, branded on the mounting buttock LL. Whoever delivers the ſaid horſe to me in Charles-Town, ſhall have a reward of Three Pounds currency. LAMBERT LANCE.

STRAYED or ſtolen from Charles-Town, about the 10th of January laſt, a white Mare, 13 hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder with a bow and arrow, the arrow pointing upwards, and on the near thigh JM in one, part of her mane cut, and the other part hanging on the off ſide, a natural pacer. Whoever takes her up, and delivers her to me, ſhall have Five Pounds reward. ROBERT PATTERSON.

LOST, on Friday night the ſecond inſtant, from along ſide Mr. Benjamin Hoger's ſchooner, a ſtout made CANOE, about 15 feet in length, and four feet wide, rows with two oars, has a ring-bolt fixed at ſtem and ſtern, and a little below her gunwale on the larboard ſide, is a ſplit or rent of conſiderable length. Whoever will deliver ſaid Canoe to the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive Two Dollars reward.

JOSIAH SMITH, junior.

SHADOW,

WILL begin to Cover this Seaſon, at Mr. *Fenwicke's* Plantation on *John's-Iſland*, from the 15th of *March* to the 30th of *April* next, at *Thirty-five Pounds* Currency each Mare, and a Dollar to the Groom. After which Time he will be ſent to Mr. Fenwicke's Plantation *Cha-Cheſſey*, at *Aſhepoo*, where he will Cover the Remainder of the Seaſon, on the above Conditions. No Mares will be received without the Money; but ſuch as ſhould be ſent, and comply with the Terms, may depend on the greateſt Care, as good Paſtures will be provided for them.

ANN NICHOLLS,

Has to diſpoſe of in Beadon's-alley,

SOME very handſome Ladies Caps, Silver Stomachers, and Bows, Ribbon ditto, very rich Silver Trimmings, fit for Ladies and Children, Artificial and *Italian* Flowers, handſome Breaſt ditto, a few Pieces of neat Gauze. She would be much obliged to her Friends for their Cuſtom, and ſtill continues carrying on the Mantua-Making Buſineſs, in the neateſt and handſomeſt Manner.

FOUND by a NEGRO,

A Stock and Stone Buckle. The Owner may have it again, by paying for this Advertiſement, and giving a ſmall Reward to the Negro. Apply to the Printer.

STRAYED from Charles-Town, about the beginning of October laſt, a black horſe, about 13 hands high, branded on the near or mounting ſhoulder 57, a ſtar in his forehead, and a white halter mark behind his ears.

Alſo ſometime in December, a ſmall brown bay Horſe, about twelve and an half hands high, with a white mark or ſtar along the ridge of his back, ſtrong made, and a very thick neck, the brand not known. Two Dollars reward for each, will be paid to any perſon delivering the ſaid horſes at the brew-houſe in Charles-Town.

JOHN CALVERT, & Co.

Dorcheſter, February 7, 1770.

A Black horſe, about 12 hands high, with a blaze in his face, branded on the mounting ſhoulder ſomething like a fiſh hook, and on the mounting buttock ſomething like an L, with a number of ſaddle ſpots on his back.

A bright bay horſe, about 13 and an half hands high, with a white reach down his face, one white foot, gray about his flank, and upper part of his tail, branded on the mounting ſhoulder and buttock thus CD.

A brown bay horſe, 12 hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder like 41K in one, and on the mounting buttock H.

A black roan horſe, 13 hands 3 inches high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder H, and paces natural, with a ſwitch tail.

The owners of the above ſtrays, muſt prove their property before JOHN JOOR.

MR. Chriſtian Motte, informs me of a black gelding, about thirteen hands high, with a ſtar in his forehead, has a long ſwitch tail, no viſible brand, a trotter. The owner muſt apply and prove their property before

January 31, 1769. SAMUEL PORCHER.

PHILIP HAWKINS, & Co.

At their ſtore in Tradd-ſtreet, *lately occupied by* John Edwards, *& Co.*

HAVE juſt opened their goods, received by the *Little Carpenter*, *Maitland*, which, with thoſe on hand, make a large STOCK, that will be ſold very cheap, with great allowance to thoſe who purchaſe a quantity to ſell again. A compleat aſſortment of LINEN DRAPERY, part of which are a great variety of printed linens, cottons, and calicoes, blue, red, and chints furniture cottons, printed and white India calicoes, India ginghams, of an extra fine quality, India chints, a great choice of extremely well bought Iriſh linens and ſheeting, Iriſh tickins, long lawns, piſtol and quarter lawns, 7-8, 8-8, and 6-4 clear lawns, 7-8, and 8-8 cambricks, flowered lawns, flowered lawn ſuits of aprons, ruffles, and handkerchiefs, plain, ſtriped and flowered muſlins, 8-8, and 6-4 book muſlins, and figured ditto, very beautiful tombour work'd muſlins, in ſuits; very elegant ſetts of damaſk tabling, 3-4, 10-4, and 12-4 diapers and damaſks in pieces, diaper and damaſk table cloths, tea napkins, clouting diapers, napkining diapers, and damaſks, hempen and flaxen Ruſſia linen, 3-4 to 12-4 bucksbacks, garlix, dowlaſs, britannias, ſileſias, raven ducks, Ruſſia ſheeting, dimities, jeans, checks, and other Mancheſter goods; plain and flowered ſilk gauzes, ribbons, blond and thread laces, a few pieces of handſome plain and ſtrip'd taffaties, at 45s. and 50s. per yard, 7-8 India ſattins, damaſks, and gorgoroons, at 60s. and 70s. per yard, flowered India ſilks and India perſians; two compleat ſetts of nankeen tea china, one very large and elegant ſett of nankeen table china; a few handſome fire grates, with furniture compleat; alſo a large aſſortment of nails, locks, hinges, and every other article neceſſary for building; carpenters, ſmiths, and workmens tools in general, very beſt broad hoes, and other plantation utenſils.

N. B. To be ſold for ready money, very beſt bohea tea, at 20s. lb. very beſt green tea, at 50s. lb. very beſt and much approved hyſon tea, at £.5 10s. lb. black pepper, at 15d. lb. 4d. nails at 15s. m. 6d. ditto, at 22s. 6, 10d. ditto, at 35s. 20d. ditto, at 52s. 6, a few anchors and grapling, at £.15 per 100lb. a quantity of very good whalebone, at 47s. 6 lb. taking 20lb.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-Street; where all Manner of Printing Work is performed with Care and Expedition.

SUPPLEMENT to the South-Carolina Gazette, and Country Journal.

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THE South Part of the Subſcriber's Wharf is now fit for Buſineſs. Coaſting Schooners, and inland Boats of ſize, may unload there full as commodiouſly and ſafely, with as great Diſpatch as in any Dock in Town.—He tores already built that will contain about Fifteen Hun- Barrels of Rice, and is about building more. He will uch obliged to ſuch Perſons as will order their Produce landed at his Wharf, where, whenever they are incli- to ſtore their Rice or Indico, &c. they will be as ſafe all Dangers, particularly from Fire, as in any Stores e Province.—He will be particularly attentive to give Boats the utmoſt Diſpatch, and as he is ſure the Pro- of the Province can be diſpoſed of at his Wharf to as h Advantage as any where elſe, ſuch of his Friends as ſend, whatever Rice, Indico, or Naval Stores, they or- to be landed at his Wharf, to him, he will ſell thoſe cles for them at the uſual Rates.—He will make no rge this Crop for any Rice ſtored in his Stores belonging e Planters, not exceeding one Week, nor belonging to Merchants, for that Time, provided 'tis ſhipt off at his rf.

N. B. There is no Wharf in Town where the Ships can nore ſecure, or where their Cables will be ſo little liable image, and ſuch Ships as land their Ballaſt at his Wharf Crop. ſhall be charged no Wharfage, be aſſiſted to put , and have their Water Caſks filled with as good Water y to be got in or near Town beſides, gratis.——Not a rf in Town better, if ſo well calculated, for diſpatch- Veſſel, or where there is ſo little Occaſion for Porters ll Rice, &c. indeed that Charge may be altogether ſaved, moſt can coſt the Gentlemen in Trade a mere Trifle.

CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN.

nuary 22, 1770. 3 m.

For any of the WEST-INDIA ISLANDS,

The Sloop RACHEL,

JOSEPH SEYMOUR, Maſter.

FOR Freight or Paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter on board, at the Market-Wharf, or at Mrs. Knox's, in Beadon's y.

RAYED or ſtolen from Mrs. Mary Elliott's yard, ear the draw gate, in Charles-Town, on Monday the f January 1770, two geldings, one a ſorrel, about 15 n half hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder ith a large blaze on his forehead, a ſwitch tail, his mane been cut, and trots. The other a cheſnut, about 14 high, branded on the buttock like TML in one, with [illegible] ſwitch tail, trots, the left ſide of ane lately cut. Any perſon who will deliver the ſaid to the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive TWO DOLLARS rd for each, and all reaſonable charges; and if concealed ade uſe of, contrary to law, the perſon who informs of offenders, ſhall receive FIFTY POUNDS reward.

HENRY REEVES.

RUN AWAY from the ſubſcriber, a muſtee young fellow, named *Prince*, well known in Charles Town, lately belonging to Mrs. Perkins, a painter by trade, very often undertakes jobs of his own head, both in town and country, and meets with encouragement, altho' I have in the public papers forbid any perſon employing him, out my licence: It is probable he is now in the country, ng been met going out of town lately, with a paint pot s hand. FIVE POUNDS will be given for taking up, and TWENTY POUNDS to any perſon who prove, by whom he is employed.

RAWLINS LOWNDES.

RUN-AWAY ſome time in May, 1768, from the ſubſcriber, at Sampitt, a negro fellow, named LEEDS, he is 28 years of age, of a yellowiſh complexion, five feet eight inches high, ſtout and well made, very artful, and ſuppoſed to be harboured about Santee, where he has many relations.——ONE HUNDRED POUNDS currency reward, will be paid by the ſubſcriber to perſon who will apprehend the ſaid fellow, and deliver to *John Calvert*, or the warden of the work-houſe in les-Town, or to the ſubſcriber at Sampitt.——The like to any perſon giving information of his being harboured by a white perſon, or FIFTY POUNDS, if by a , on due proof thereof.

6 m. FRANCIS WITHERS.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, on Monday the 22th of June laſt, a negro fellow named LONDON, this country born, about 20 years of age, and five feet high; had on when he went away a blue lapelled coat, and a pair of leather breeches. Whoever delivers him to the ſubſcriber on Santee, to Mr. *Francis Gottier*, warden of the work-houſe, in Charles-Town, ſhall TWENTY POUNDS reward; and whoever gives nation of his being harboured, ſo that he is taken, have the like ſum paid them, and on conviction of the er, if a white perſon, they ſhall have THIRTY NDS, and if a black, TEN POUNDS, paid

ELIZABETH MARY DE LESSLINE.

TO BE SOLD, or HIRED,

A Houſe ſituate on Strawberry Hill, where a ſtore has been kept for ſeveral years paſt, and has conveniences adapted thereto. For further particulars, enquire on the premiſes, of ISAAC DA COSTA.

EDWARD JOYCE, SURGEON,

His Great AMERICAN BALSAM,

Extracted from the beſt Medicinal Herbs, &c. for the Cure of the following Diſorders, incident to human Nature; proved by Experience in NEW-YORK, LONG ISLAND, and elſewhere, to equal, and rather exceed any Balſam, Eſſence, or Elixir, &c. exported from Europe here, for the ſeveral Diſorders hereafter mentioned.

FOR common green or freſh Wounds, it heals at once or twice dreſſing, by cloſing the Lips of the Wound, and laying on the Wound a Pledgit of Lint dipt in the Balſam. In Nervous Wounds, where the Blood Veſſels are divided, &c. it ſtops the Blood immediately, and heals by a few Applications. For the Cure of the moſt inveterate Ulcers, only waſh them and keep them clean, uſing firſt, if there be any proud Fleſh, a common Cauſtick to take the Exceſſence away, then apply the Balſam on Lint. If the Ulcers ſhould happen to be fiſtulous, inject by a Syringe, and after, cloſe the Orifice with a Pledgit dipt in the Balſam, and ſo repeat.

There are Witneſſes undeniable of the Balſam alone curing a Fiſtula in Ano, now preſent in *New-York*: The Author of this Balſam (under God) will engage to cure a Fiſtula in Ano, even if the Rectum is perforated, without Inciſſion, except as much by a Lancet to make way for Injection, and no more.

For the Cure of Colds, attended with violent Coughing, Pains in the Breaſt, Inflammation in the Throat and Glands, Difficulty of Breathing, being obſtructed by tough viſcid Phlegm, by taking a Tea-ſpoon full of the Balſam, mixed with Sugar or Honey, it quickly cures, taken twice a Day, Morning faſting, and at Night going to Bed.

It is exceeding good in all Manner of Swellings; for violent Falls or inward Bruiſes, nothing is better, for it ſcatters coagulated Blood, and ſtops Blood that might be occaſioned by the inward Parts being hurt, or a Rexis of the Veſſels inwardly.

In the Cure of Pleuriſy, after Bleeding (where it is required) give a Tea-ſpoon full three Times a Day, in Sugar, and between Times now and then 20 or 30 Drops of ſpirituous Nitre Dulcis, that is the ſweet Spirits of Nitre,—it cures.

It cures Conſumptions in them that are not too far gone, except they paſs the Age of Fifty, by taking of it inwardly three Times a Day, a Tea-ſpoon full mixt with Sugar or Honey, each Doſe. It ſtrengthens the Nerves, and is good in all Nervous Diſorders, by taking of it inwardly, and anointing the Parts outwardly, keeping warm.

Long Island, York-ſ. 1768.

☞ The above BALSAM is ſold by *Charles Crouch*, at his Printing-Office in Elliott-Street.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of THOMAS LEE, deceaſed, either by bond, note, or book-debt, are requeſted to call and ſettle the ſame; and thoſe to whom the ſaid eſtate is any ways indebted, are deſired to bring in their accounts properly atteſted, to

tbctf. WILLIAM LEE, Executor.

IF Mr. JOHN SAVAGE, Son of HENRY SAVAGE, of *Saintfield*, in the County of *Down*, in IRELAND, Eſquire, be in any Part of the Continent of AMERICA, and will apply to JOHN NEVIN, of *Charles-Town*, SOUTH-CAROLINA, he will hear of ſomething to his Advantage.

TO BE SOLD,

THE valuable PLANTATION, ſituated on Cowper-River, commonly called HIDE-PARK, containing Three Thouſand Three Hundred Acres, butting on Lands of ELIAS BALL, ſen. and the late Capt. NICHOLAS HARLESTON, ſo well known as to need no farther Deſcription. For further Particulars, enquire of ELIAS BALL.

TO BE LET,

(And may be entered upon immediately)

THE Houſe and large Garden in Anſonſburgh, at preſent in Poſſeſſion of *Philip Porcher*. Enquire of *Peter Porcher*, or in his Abſence of

PHILIP PORCHER.

STRAYED or Stolen, two Geldings, viz. one a Brown Bay, with Saddle and Collar ſpots, Hog Mane, and ſhort Tail, a Star in his Forehead, branded on the off Shoulder IR, 13 Hands high. The other a ſmall Gray, his mane cut lately, no Brand to be diſcovered. Whoever will deliver them to me at my Plantation, 23 Miles from Charles-Town, on Aſhley-River, ſhall receive two Dollars reward for each, from JACOB WERNER.

WILLIAM LOOCOCK,

Has imported in the laſt veſſels from LONDON,

A Compleat and general aſſortment of chymical, galenical preparations and drugs, with almoſt every family medicine now in uſe, among which are, the famous eſſence of JOHNSOM or TURPETH ROOT, being a native of the remote parts of this province, and which is the moſt certain, eaſy and effectual medicine ever found in all venereal caſes. Fifteen drops being taken morning and evening, in a glaſs of water or any thing convenient, will moſt effectually rout that diſorder in a few days, and never leave any gleet or weeping after it, which is too often the caſe: It is likewiſe a moſt effectual medicine in all rhumatic complaints, leproſy, ſcurvy, old ſores or ulcers, nay even in all cronical diſorders; it will cure the yaws effectually in a few days; and will be ſold on the moſt reaſonable terms at his MEDICINAL WARE-HOUSE, in Broad-ſtreet.

GEORGE PARKER, AND NOY WILLEY HUTCHINGS,

Having entered into CO PARTNERSHIP, *under the firm of*

PARKER & HUTCHINGS,

BEG leave to inform their friends that they have juſt imported in the ſhip Flora, Captain Carter, from Briſtol, and other veſſels from London and Briſtol, a *large aſſortment* of FRESH GOODS, ſuitable for the preſent and enſuing ſeaſon, which they will diſpoſe of on very reaſonable terms, particularly for CASH or PRODUCE, at their ſtore in Church-ſtreet, the corner of Elliott-ſtreet;

Among which are,

A great variety of London neat braſs and ſteel mounted fire grates, with fender, fire ſhovel, tongs, and poker, from 12l. 10s. to 75l. price, braſs and ſteel ſpare fenders, from 4l. 10s. to 20l. Turkey, Wilton, and Scotch carpets, and carpeting, &c. a large quantity of paper hangings, Briſtol beer, Kenton's porter in bottles, ſallad oil, milk pans, &c.

ALSO,

London, New-York Madera, and Vidonia WINES, by the pipe, quarter-caſk, or dozen bottles, *warranted good*, Jamaica, Weſt-India, and Northward RUM, muſcovado SUGAR, bar and axe iron, plowſhare moulds, German and Engliſh ſteel, TOBACCO in hogſheads, of the beſt quality, LINSEED, TRAIN, and LAMP OIL, flax-ſeed, TALLOW, BEES-WAX, choice ſhip BREAD in barrels, fine and coarſe SALT, &c. &c.

N. B. BUTTER in kegs of all ſizes, equal to FRESH BUTTER, CAROLINA FLOUR of the *beſt quality*.

TO BE LET, and entered on immediately,

THE Houſe in Tradd-ſtreet, wherein Mr. JOHN BENFIELD lately lived, being compleatly fitted, and well ſituated for a Store. Enquire of

THOMAS GRIMBALL, jun.

JAMES LANCASTER, informs me of a grey mare, about 13 and an half hands high, with a ſhort cut tail, ſuppoſed to be 8 or 9 years old, hath no viſible brand, has a very galled back, ſtrayed into Mr. Thomas Mell's plantation, on Aſhley-River. The owner muſt apply to prove his property before

January 29, 1770. JOHN REMINGTON, J. P.

For LISBON,

THE SHIP

BETSEY & ELSEY,

John Harrison, Maſter.

(Having two thirds of her Cargo engaged)

FOR Freight of the Remainder, apply to ſaid Maſter, or

JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

For COWES, and the MARKETS, PORTUGAL, or any Port in the MEDITERRANEAN,

The BRIGANTINE

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER,

JOHN PASCOE, Maſter.

BURTHEN about 600 Barrels of Rice. For Freight, apply to the ſaid Maſter, or

JAMIESON, SIMONS, & Co.

St. Thomas's Pariſh, January 27, 1770.

RUN AWAY from the ſubſcriber, on Tueſday the 16th paſt, a negro man named ISAAC, bought the week before from Mr. Vanderhorſt's eſtate in Chriſt-Church pariſh, where it is ſuppoſed he is gone: He is of the Guinea country, but ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and has his country marks down each ſide of his temples. Whoever will deliver him to the warden of the work-houſe, or to me, ſhall receive TWO DOLLARS reward, and reaſonable charges. CHARLES MOTTE.

RUN-AWAY ſometime laſt week, from the ſubſcriber's plantation, in St. Thomas's pariſh, a negro wench named SARY, formerly the property of Benjamin Smith, Eſq; and late of Mr. Iſaac Motte, ſhe is well known in Charles-Town, where it is ſuppoſed ſhe is harboured. Whoever delivers her to the warden of the work houſe, or to me, ſhall receive FIVE POUNDS reward, beſides all reſonable Charges. CHARLES MOTTE.

RUN-AWAY ſome time in May laſt, a negro fellow, named CYRUS, formerly the property of Meſſrs. Shirley & Martin, and lately of Mr. William Riddle, in Charles-Town, but now the ſubſcriber's; he is well known in Charles-Town and at Cainhoy, and has by his former offences rendered himſelf very remarkable, having his ears cut off. Any perſon that will deliver him to the warden of the work-houſe in Charles-Town, or to me at Santee, ſhall receive FIFTEEN POUNDS reward, and all reaſonable charges.

THOMAS SUMTER.

JUST PUBLISHED, and to be SOLD by CHARLES CROUCH, *at his Printing Office in Elliott-ſtreet, the Corner of* Gadſden's-Alley;

A SERMON, preached at the Anniverſary Meeting of the PLANTER'S SOCIETY, in the Pariſh of *St. David*, on *Great Pe Dee*, Auguſt the 7th, 1769.

Charles-Town, February 3, 1770.

THE subscriber intending to leave of public School-keeping by *Easter* at farthest, entreats the favour of all those indebted to him, to discharge the same as soon as convenient, there being an absolute necessity for closing his affairs. His spacious, commodious SCHOOL, will then be to let, and his curious selected LIBRARY, to be sold, with the school furniture. He then intends to offer his service to whom it may suit, to be a teacher in a private family, or an assistant in a compting-house, or to attend a store in town, or country, not too far off. In any of which employments, tho' in years, he flatters himself he shall be found capable, diligent and faithful, and recommendations of his friends at this critical crisis, will be particularly obliging, to the public's,

Obliged, obedient, humble servant,

OSBORNE STRATON.

THE Subscriber finding himself greatly disappointed in collecting in his Debts, very little regard being paid to his former Advertisements, is reduced to the disagreeable necessity of lodging all his accounts in the hands of an Attorney, to be sued for without distinction or further notice, after the first day of March next. And as the keeping of Books has been attended with great losses to him, he is determined while he continues in business, to sell his Liquors, &c. for CASH ONLY; this method he is resolved to abide by, and earnestly hopes, that the Gentlemen who favour him with their custom, will avail themselves of this Notice.

January 31, 1770. ROBERT DILLON.

Charles-Town, February 5, 1770.

THE Co-partnership of the subscribers, having ended with the last month, they earnestly request all persons indebted to them, to discharge their respective debts immediately; and those to whom they are indebted, may assure themselves of having their accounts settled as soon as possible.

N. B. They entreat their country friends, to give orders to their merchants or factors in town, to settle their accounts for them, with all convenient speed.

JAMES HARVEY.
6 w. DAVID BATY.

JOHN BENFIELD,

At his Store in Elliott-Street, opposite to Gadsden's-Alley, has for Sale, at the very lowest prices for CASH,

JAMAICA, WINDWARD ISLAND and NORTHWARD RUM, BRANDY, GENEVA, CHERRY BOUNCE, MADERA WINE by the Dozen, VINEGAR, and sundry other Liquors, SOAP, Myrtle Wax, and Tallow CANDLES, Muscovado Sugar, Corks, &c. &c.

He continues to follow the Business of an INSURANCE BROKER, and is authorised to acquaint the Public, that Vessels which are known in this Province to be stanch and good, with their Cargoes, may be insured here on as low terms as they are in England. tbetf.

WILSON, CORAM, WAYNE, & Co.

BEING desirous to close their Affairs to the first of January last, have agreed to give up the Store the corner of Broad-street, and to carry on their Business at the Stores behind the Honourable John Burn, Esq; lately in the Tenure of John Gordon, Esq; under the Firm of RICHARD WAYNE, & Co. where they will dispose of their Stock, consisting of a great Variety of Articles, at a very low Advance, for Cash, or short Credit.

1 m. JOHN CORAM.

Just imported in the Sloop Sally, Peter Schermerhorn, *Master, from* NEW-YORK, *and to be SOLD by the said Master, at a Store on* Champneys's *Wharf,*

SHIP, Milk, Butter, and Water BREAD, choice Jamaica and New-York RUM, BEER, CYDER, a few Cases of GIN, and Kegs of CORDIALS, BAR IRON, &c.

N. B. The said Sloop will sail for New-York the first of March. For Freight or Passage, having good Accommodations for Passengers, apply to the said Master on board, at Champneys's Wharf.

DROPT from a Lady's Side last Saturday, between John Rutledge, Esq'rs, in Broad-street, and Mr. Berresford's, in Meeting-street, a chased Gold Watch CASE. Whoever has pick'd it up, and will deliver it to Mr. Berresford, shall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward.—By whom the Shoemakers and Sadlers of this Province, in Preference to such as purchase for Exportation, may be supplied with all kind of TANNED LEATHER.

N. B. Ready Money given for Hides, and other Skins, delivered at his Wharf.

A Person qualified these several Years in the Mercantile Business, is well acquainted with almost every Person in Town, and who is now employed in a Store, would be glad to be employed in drawing Accounts and collecting Money for any Gentleman upon Commission; and for all Trusts reposed in him, he will give substantial Security.—For further Particulars, please to direct a Line to H. D. G. at the Printing-Office in Elliott-street, who will wait on the Enquirer.

STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber's plantation, in St. Thomas's parish, a bay horse, about 14 and an half hands high, a natural pacer, branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock thus IW, has a broad white streak down his face, his hind feet white, and has a white spot on one eye. Whoever will deliver the said horse to me, shall receive FIVE POUNDS reward.

GEORGE SMITH, jun.

TO BE SOLD,

ONE THOUSAND BUSHELS of good white FLINT CORN, a quantity of RED PEASE, to be delivered at my Landing. Apply to me at my Plantation on John's-Island. JOHN HOLMES.

The Co-partnership of

DOWNES, JONES, & Co.

EXPIRED with the last Year, they will SELL their STOCK OF GOODS, consisting of a GOOD ASSORTMENT, lately imported, at *Nine* for *One* CASH.—Any Person purchasing to the Amount of £. 400, may have Six Months Credit; their Customers in the Country will be supplied at the SAME RATE, payable the first of January next.——They will also dispose of their STORE, with all NECESSARY BUILDINGS, at *Bacon's Bridge*, which is very well situated for Trade: Also their STOCK OF GOODS there, at *Nine* for *One*.—Any Person inclinable to purchase said Store, may have it at a very reasonable Price, with, or without the Goods on Hand.

☞ All Persons indebted to them, are desired to settle their Accounts to the first Instant. *January 15, 1770.*

TO BE SOLD by private Contract,

THE BREW-HOUSE, together with all the Utensils necessary to that Business, in excellent Order, an Inventory of which may be seen on the Spot, or in the Hands of the Subscriber; who likewise will dispose of a Parcel of TILES, which are necessary for Malting. It is well known to the Inhabitants of Charles-Town, that the BEER brewed at that House, is equal to the best that comes from Philadelphia, the Water in all Respects proper for this Work: The Business is known to be very profitable, and the only Reason for the Disposal of the above is, that the Proprietor cannot sufficiently attend it. Twelve Months Credit will be given to the Purchaser, he finding Security, and paying Interest for the Sum agreed on.

DANIEL CANNON.

HENRY WEBSTER,

RETURNS his sincere thanks to his friends and customers for their favours, during his residence at Jacksonsburg, and will esteem himself still more obliged to them for the payment of their accompts, as he intends to leave the province for some months, he is very desirous of, and necessity obliges him to settle his concerns as soon as possible.—He hopes all those indebted to him, will avail themselves of this notice, and act accordingly.

The remainder of his STOCK OF GOODS, consisting of many useful articles, are to be sold under the common advance, for cash, produce, or short credit.

Jacksonsburg, Jan. 29, 1770.

RUN-AWAY from the Subscriber, on the 29th ult. an indentured Dutch Lad, named CONRAD MIRE, much pitted with the Small-Pox, stammers in his speech, and is a Taylor by trade. A reward of FIVE DOLLARS will be paid to any Person that will deliver him to the Warden of the Work-House, or to the Subscriber in Charles-Town; but if sufficient proof can be given of his being inticed away, or harboured, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS will be paid, on conviction of the offender, by

THOMAS GADSDEN.

Charles-Town, January 15, 1770.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Public in general, and our Friends in particular, that the Subscribers have entered into Copartnership, on Mrs *Wragg's* Wharf, under the Firm of CROSS & CALVERT, where they intend carrying on the WHARFINGER FACTORAGE, and CARTING BUSINESS, in all their different Branches, and hopes to give general Satisfaction to all who please to employ them in any of the above Branches. On the said Wharf are every necessary Conveniency for carrying on the said Business, with extensive Docks on the North and South Sides, where Schooners of any Burthen may lay with the greatest Safety, and unload with the quickest Dispatch.—Letters and Orders from the Country, directed to them as above, will be faithfully complied with; and Masters of Vessels served with WOOD, and as good WATER as any in this Town, on the shortest Notice, by

Their most humble Servants,

JOHN CROSS,
6 w. JOHN CALVERT.

THE Co-partnership of CARNE & WILSON being expired, there is an absolute Necessity of settling the Affairs of that long Concern: All Persons therefore to whom they are Debtors, are requested to send in their Accounts; and all indebted to them to pay off their several Bonds, Notes, and Book-Accounts, that they may be enabled to accomplish that End.—As rigorous Measures are very disagreeable, they hope all concerned, will avail themselves of this Notice.

WILSON & POINSETT,

HAVING entered into a Partnership, request a Continuance of the Favours of their Friends, and the Customers to the late Company, and inform all others, that the OLD SHOP on the Bay is now plentifully stocked with DRUGS, CHYMICAL, GALENICAL, and FAMILY MEDICINES; that they expect a *large Supply* by the first Vessels from LONDON, and hope they shall always keep up such an Assortment, and be able to sell at such Prices, as to give Satisfaction to all whom they may have the Pleasure to serve.

☞ Boxes of MEDICINES, with Directions, fitted out as formerly.

TO BE SOLD,

AN extraordinary good MILCH COW, that will suit the Town. Enquire of the Printer.

Charles-Town, February 3, 1770.

RUN-AWAY from the Subscriber, on the 14th of January past, an Apprentice Lad, named WILLIAM WAY, a Printer by Trade, near Seventeen Years old, about five Feet six Inches high, much marked with the Small-Pox, and well known in and near this Town. He had on when he went away, a new light coloured Broad Cloth Coat and Jacket, black Stocking Breeches, Worsted Stockings, a good Pair of Shoes, a new Hat, Silver Shoe Buckles, &c. and took with him other Cloathing. Whoever apprehends the said Apprentice, and delivers him to me, or the Warden of the Work-House, shall receive TEN POUNDS Reward; and whoever can prove his being harboured by any Person whatever, shall receive a further Reward of FIFTY POUNDS Currency, on Conviction of the Offender.—All Masters of Vessels are cautioned from carrying him off the Province.—And, if the said Apprentice should have already got off, it is hoped, that the Gentlemen of the Business, either on this Continent, the West-Indies, or elsewhere, to whom he may apply for Employ, will be so kind (upon Sight of this Advertisement) to have him secured, and sent back to me, and for so doing, all reasonable Charges will be paid, by

CHARLES CROUCH.

TO BE SOLD by public Outcry, at the House lately possessed by Mr. Nightingale near Charles Town, on Thursday the first Day of March next, if the same shall be a fair Day, if otherwise, on the next fair Day thereafter;

About FORTY choice Plantation

SLAVES,

The Property of a Gentleman about to decline Planting.

Credit will be given for one Year, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, with approved Security; the Property not be altered till these Conditions are complied with.

ROBERT WELLS.

DROVE out of Mr. Burn's Dock, on Sunday Morning, a Clincher built Yawl, painted Green and Yellow. Whoever takes up the said Boat, and delivers her to me, or to Mr. John Tuke, shall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward.

February 5, 1770. THOMAS LAWS.

Brought to the WORK-HOUSE.

August 1, 1769. A negro fellow, of the Guinea country, calls himself *Tom*, and says his master's name was *Miller*, a Dutchman, lived at Mr. *William Middleton*'s plantation, but died since he run-away; he is five feet three inches high, of a yellowish complexion, well set, carries the marks of an old offender; has on an old white negro cloth jacket, with blue lapells, oznabrug shirt, and white negro cloth breeches. Taken up at Mr. *Robert Rowand*'s plantation at *Stono*.

September 30, 1769. A mulatto fellow, calls himself *Maudo*, says he belongs to Robert Lewis; he is five feet 5 inches high, marked on his right cheek R, and on his left L, has on a pea jacket, blue breeches, oznabrug shirt and trowsers; is the same fellow which is advertised in Mr. Timothy's paper. Taken up at Mr. M'Gaw's plantation at *Wando*.

October 11, 1769. A new negro fellow, cannot tell his own or master's name, nor his country, seems to be silly; he is 5 feet 2 inches high, yellow complexion, full faced, stout limbed, has a lump on his breast like a wart, also a scar on his left arm, has on nothing but a pair of white negro cloth breeches; the said negro was taken from one *John Reynes*, a notorious villain, which the justice imagines he stole from the lower settlements, as he absented himself on being detected with the said negro, and going out of this province. Taken and sent down by *Nicholas Frederick Meyer*, J. P. from *Long Canes*.

November 7, 1769. A new negro fellow, of the *Kisbey* country, calls himself *Pompey*, but cannot or will not tell his master's name; he is 5 feet 5 inches high, yellowish complexion, full faced, his country marks on his forehead, a cut on his nose, ears bored, wants two teeth in his upper jaw, also wants a piece of his thumb on his left hand; has on an old white negro cloth jacket, check shirt, and crocus breeches. Taken up near Mr. *Webb's* plantation, *Congarees*.

December 10, 1769. A new negro fellow, calls himself *Carolina*, but cannot or will not tell his master's name, nor his country; he is 5 feet 6 inches high, his country marks all over his face, back, and breast, his ears bored, and strait limbed; has on a white negro cloth jacket and breeches. Taken up at Mr. *Tweed*'s plantation, at *Black-Mingo*.

December 14, 1769. A new negro fellow, of the Guinea country, calls himself *Jack*, says his master's name is *Livingston*; he is five feet two inches high, of a black complexion, full faced, has big eyes, no beard, a cut on his left wrist, and strait limbed; has on an old shirt, and a pair of old leather breeches. Taken up by *Thomas Blackman*, at the *Four Holes*.

January 3, 1770. A new negro fellow, of the Guinea country, calls himself *Peter*, but cannot or will not tell his master's name; he is five feet seven inches high, his country marks on his face, wants two teeth in his upper jaw, ears bored, strait limbed; has on a white negro cloth jacket, with black cuffs, blue collar, and a piece down the back. Taken up at Mr. *Benjamin Elliott's*, the other side of *Ashley-ferry*.

JOHN BROWN, WARDEN.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be sold by CHARLES CROUCH, *at his Printing-Office in Elliott-street,*

AN ELEGY to the infamous Memory of Sir FR——; BE——D. Dedicated to JOHN DICKINSON, Esq; the ingenious and learned Author of the FARMER'S LETTERS.

ALSO,

A DIALOGUE between Sir GEORGE CORNWELL, a Gentleman lately arrived from *England*, with a Design to travel *Incog.* through the Continent of AMERICA, and Mr. FLINT, an Independent Gentleman, descended from a good Family of the first Settlers of NEW-ENGLAND, that is neither Placed or Pensioned.